PETITION FOR EXTENSION O Docket No.: PGI6044P0020US 09/475,544 Serial No.: Filing Date: December 30, 1999 JAN 3 0 2004 Group Art Unit: 1771 N. Torres Velazquez Examiner: Applicant(s): Richard Ferencet al. RECEIVED Invention: Hydroentanglement of Continuous Polymer Filaments

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 **野野りゅう 2004**

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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>August 27, 2003</u> in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

Extension Fee For Response Within:		First Month		Second Month		Third Month		Fourth Month	
_	e Entity: l Entity:	<u> </u>	\$110.00 \$55.00	⊠	\$420.00 \$210.00	<u> </u>	\$950.00 \$475.00	0	\$1,480.00 \$740.00
⊠ ·	A check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed. Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.								
Ø	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.								

Respectfully submitted,

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· I hereby certify that this document and fee (if applicable) is being deposited with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on January 27, 2004.

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